

USER DEFINED PREFERRED DNS REFERENCEABSTRACT

5 Methods, systems, and products are disclosed for user defined preferred DNS routing
that include mapping for a user in a data communications application a domain name
of a network host to a network address for a preferred DNS server, wherein the
preferred DNS server has a network address for the domain name; receiving from the
user a request for access to a resource accessible through the network host; and
10 routing to the preferred DNS server a DNS request for the network address of the
network host, the DNS request including the domain name of the network host. In
typical embodiments, mapping a domain name to a network address for a preferred
DNS server is carried out by storing, through the data communication application, the
domain name in association with the network address for a preferred DNS server in a
15 data structure in computer memory.